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Kenneth Lerman

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Examiner: C.S. McCarthy

for: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE USE OF
RESET LOGIC IN HIGH AVAILABILITY
SYSTEMS

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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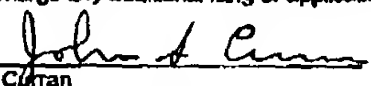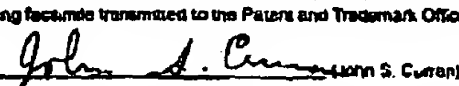Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2004 (Paper No. 9), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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